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5/9/2016

**RE: ADMINISTRATIVE NON-CERTIFICATION**

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**Member ID:** [REDACTED]

**Authorization Number:** O160504022

This letter is in response to the medical services request received by Health Management Partners (HMP), the managed care review company contracted by your South Dakota State Employee Health Plan.

Following review of the request, HMP is issuing an Administrative Non-Certification. While it may be medically necessary, your South Dakota State Employee Health Plan specifically excludes coverage for Services or drugs related to gender transformations. . This letter is provided to inform you of the determination of administrative non-certification of services due to exclusions in the Plan Document 56. This determination does not address the medical necessity of service.

If you are not satisfied with this review we direct you to either your Plan Document page 111 or to your Plan Administrator for your appeal rights. Please include a copy of this letter with any correspondence.

For verification of payment and benefits please contact DakotaCare at 800-831-0785.

Date of Request: 5/4/2016

Approval Period: From 6/1/2016 through 6/1/2016

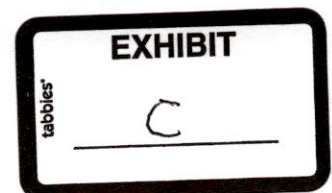
Service: Outpatient Services: Surgical

Requesting Provider: Mary Snyder

Servicing Provider: Plastic Surgical Center of Rapid City Prof LLC

Qty Req'd	Qty Approved	Code	Description	Determination
2	0	19300	MASTECTOMY GYNECOMASTIA	

Sincerely,



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